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Filing Date: July 3, 2001

Examiner: Tanmay S. Lele

Title: Communication Device Having a Microphone System with Optimal Acoustic Transmission Line Design for Improved Frequency and Directional Response

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Fee Transmittal Form



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Amendment/Reply



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Extension of Time Request



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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application:

☒ No additional fee is required, as shown below.CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS FOR FEE PURPOSES	8	MINUS	13	0	X \$18	0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	MINUS	5	0	X \$88	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) First presented with this amendment, if applicable					X\$300	0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Respectfully,

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